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There are 265 nominations waiting confirmation by the Senate.

It still sticks in Mr. Conkling's crop that he was made to rule the people, instead of the people ruling him.

The front doors to Vanderbilt's new house in New York cost \$20,000, and are copies of the famous Ghiberti gates.

It seems that General Sherman, and Whitelaw Reid, of the New York Tribune, will fight the battle of Shiloh over again.

Bob Ingersoll has his elegant copy of Shakespeare handsomely printed in gilt on one of the lids, "The Book of Brains."

Richard A. Proctor, the astronomer says one square inch of the sun's surface would give more than three hundred times more light than one square inch of electric light.

If Judge Davis wants to be the author of one single, independent, honest act, before his time expires, he should vote with the Republicans and break the dead lock in the Senate.

Ex-Lieutenant Governor and Congressman Pottard is talked of for Speaker of the House. It is said Mr. Pottard is the best looking man in Congress. If this is the best qualification a man can have for that position, we presume Mr. Pottard will get it.

This is the first time in the history of the government that the action of one Senator caused a prolonged session of the Senate. Mahone is the cause of all the trouble, but Mahone is right and the Republican party and the administration should stand by him.

Let us see, Venner promised that spring would be well advanced by the 15th of April, and that on the whole, the month would be one of May mildness. There does appear to be much May mildness so far about the huge snow banks which are still seen in all directions.

It begins to appear that Vice President Arthur might gain the respect of more intelligent people if he would act manly and honestly in the matter of the New York appointments. He can't follow "Puffed Up Vainly" Conkling and claim the respect of the Republican party, or of honorable men outside of it.

There has been quite an advance in the value of paintings during the last century. A portrait of Philip IV, was once sold for \$35,000. It will now fetch \$25,000 in any gallery in Europe. Van Dyck's burgomaster and his wife, brought \$80; it is now valued at \$40,000. One of Rembrandt's brought \$25,000 soon after it was finished, but to-day it can not be bought for \$20,000.

Judge Amos P. Prichard, of this city, has been county judge for twenty-four consecutive years; but Judge Ira B. Brunson, of Prairie du Chien, son of the Rev. Alfred Brunson, D. D., has been county judge of Crawford county for thirty-four consecutive years. He is the oldest county judge (in service) in the State, and probably the oldest in the United States.

Here is another example of the loose way in which the last Legislature did its business. Chapter 238 of the general laws of 1881, approved April 2, abolishes the State board of charities and reform; and yet chapter 233 of the general laws of 1881, approved March 30, says: "Whenever it shall appear to the State board of charities and reform that insufficient provision has been made for the care and support of the insane," and so on. Here is a direct conflict, but it doesn't surprise anybody.

If philanthropists want to do a religious piece of work, and they who have thousands more than they can spend, desire to do a noble act for the worthy poor, they should turn their attention to the widow and daughter of Old John Brown, who, it is said, are living in poverty on a small farm near San Jose, California. Mrs. Brown is seventy years old, and is wholly supported by her good daughter, who is obliged to perform the rough farm-work to earn sufficient food. Their little home is mortgaged for \$1000, and the payment of the interest is a serious matter to these lonely women. Those who have any admiration for the sturdy old hero of Harper's Ferry, whose name will live in American history, should be liberal and prompt in giving them aid.

A CORPORATION WITH NO SOUL.

It is ever true that a corporation had no soul, it is true of the street railway companies in nearly every city in the United States. They are more grinding and more merciless than the most bold and gaudy monopoly in the country. Their general management is a disgrace to our civilization. They have no regard for the persons in their employ, and no mercy for the animals which are unfortunate enough to fall in to their hands. The managers are men without conscience, without a spark of feeling for humanity, without the least respect or sympathy for the over-worked and half-clad car-driver, and without compassion for the horses in their employ. Their greed for gain blunts their senses, corrodes their hearts, and deprives them of almost every manly instinct. These traits in the managers of the street railway companies of Chicago has led to the strike which took place this week; and it is refreshing that thousands of well-to-do and in-

telligent people on the West Side of that city, deeply sympathize with the car conductors and drivers, and prefer to walk rather than patronize a corporation so heartless and cruel as the street-car companies of Chicago. These companies make a fortune every year, and yet they displayed their greed by compelling their employes to work at starvation wages.

Between 600 and 800 men struck for an advance of 20 per cent. in their wages. The companies refused to make an advance, and consequently the drivers and conductors refused to go to work. One day this week the company attempted to run a car, but the people who have practical sympathy for the strikers, dumped it in the gutter, and hereafter propose to stand by the strikers.

The life of a car-driver and a conductor is a life of extreme hardship. They are worked from early morning till late at night, in all sorts of weather, on every day in the week, and for wages that will not keep them in decent clothes and give them a fair living. It is hoped that the street-car men will come out ahead in this contest between them and tyranny and injustice.

CARPENTER'S FUNERAL.

The remains of the late Senator Carpenter arrived in Milwaukee this afternoon, having left Washington on Friday morning. Governor Smith and the legislative committee went to Chicago to-day to meet the congressional committee in charge of the remains, and returned with the cortege. The remains were met at depot in Milwaukee by a large number of civic societies and several companies of the National Guard. All that is mortal of the brilliant and beloved Matt H. Carpenter will lie in State in the rotunda of the court house until two o'clock on Sunday, when the funeral will take place. The procession will be under orders from Major General Hincks, chief marshal, and will move in the following order:

Chief Marshal and Aids.
Band.
Escort.
Remains.
Clergy.
Family of Deceased.
Congressional Committee.
State Executive Officers.
State Legislature.
Bar Association.
Civil and Military Officers of the United States.
City and County Officers.
Chamber of Commerce.
Merchants' Association.
Citizens.

There has been a general desire on the part of many of our citizens who were personal and warm friends of the deceased Senator, to attend the funeral in Milwaukee, but as there will be no special train on that day, many will be debarred from going. It was hoped that the special train for Sunday which was said would leave Madison would run via Milton Junction, and thus accommodate a large number from Janesville, but according to the State Journal, of last evening, the probabilities are that there will be no special leave this city for Milwaukee on Sunday.

ABOUT AGRICULTURAL SALT.

The Gazette has received from the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway company, a circular which will be of great benefit to farmers. The circular or pamphlet gives the results of the use of salt on old land and in regions infested by chinch bugs. The statements given regarding the experience of farmers are selected from a large number all equally strong in praising the results of the use of salt on lands. We will give one or two of these testimonials simply to show the general character of the evidence on the salt question:

Eagle, Wis., March 28, 1881.
I have used salt on my land for 18 years, and always found it prevented rust and destroyed chinch bugs, and many other worms and insects that injure to grain crops. I know it never fails to increase the yield and make the grain much healthier. It brings the wheat up from one to two weeks earlier than the berry larger and more solid, and the straw stiffer. It has saved my crops several times, and I have induced my neighbors to use it, and they too have saved their crops. I always recommend it and do not know why any farmer should not use it.

Mr. Thomas Eekles, writing to the Rochester, (Minnesota) Post, says:

I am not one of those farmers that won't take a good thing when it is offered me. I jumped at the chance of getting salt delivered in bulk, and ordered two tons. Some of my good neighbors told me I was crazy, wild, and the like, but I sowed the salt on thirty acres of land before I sowed the wheat.

Now for the result. My wheat grew right along, never rusted, stood up stiff, and when harvested, was like rods. When I threshed, the wheat was bright and plump, weighing 50 pounds per bushel. My wheat, as you said, was most all screening, and only yielding seven bushels of poor stuff to the acre, while that which was sowed with salt yielded to the acre.

Appreciating the importance of using salt on lands, the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway company proposes to help farmers in procuring this article for the present spring. The company has made arrangements which will enable farmers to procure this salt at its stations either from its agents or from grain buyers, at cost, adding the bare cost of transportation. It can be had in barrels or in bulk. On worn out wheat lands the quantity of salt used for acre should be from 250 to 300 pounds. This question is one of almost supreme importance to many farmers this year, and they should not fail to receive benefit from the experience of others.

MADE SUDDENLY RICH.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., April 8.—Fred Voor is a young man employed in a bakery here, to-day was notified that \$30,000 had been left him by an uncle who recently died in Iowa.

NINETY-NINE YEARS.

St. Louis, April 8.—John Peyton was to-day found guilty of the murder of Charles Reed, and sentenced to ninety-nine years in the penitentiary. Peyton is a mulatto. His victim was a negro. The offense occurred as far back as Nov. 27, 1879.

NO SIGNS OF A BREAK.

The Republican Senators See no Sign of a Break of the Deadlock.

And the Democrats Declare Themselves More Firmly United Than Ever.

Arrival of the Remains of Senator Carpenter in Milwaukee.

The Arrangements for the Funeral To-morrow Afternoon.

Continued Shocks of Earthquake Occurring at Seio on Thursday.

Fearful Loss of Life and Property on the Island.

From Four to Six Thousand Persons Killed and Twice That Number Wounded.

The Floods in the Missouri River Interrupting Railroad Travel.

The Forty-fourth Day of Fasting of Hattie Denell, at Iowa City.

A New and Fatal Disease Among the Sheep Folds of Palmyra.

Other Interesting State and Miscellaneous News Items.

HOMEWARD BOUND.

Departure of the Remains of Senator Carpenter from Washington—Arrangements for Their Reception in Chicago This Morning.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The remains of Senator Carpenter, accompanied by the congressional committee and Mrs. Carpenter and immediate family of the deceased, left this city on the Chicago express train at 8 o'clock this morning, for the Baltimore and Potomac depot. The party—twenty-two persons in all—go in Pullman cars Nos. 100 and 183, one of them a hotel car. They are scheduled to go through to Milwaukee without change, arriving there at noon to-morrow. Deputy Sergeant-at-Arms Christy has charge of the remains.

CHICAGO, April 8.—The northern train on this evening brought in delegations from Madison, Milwaukee, and other portions of Wisconsin, to the number of about one hundred, to receive the remains of Senator Carpenter. By mutual agreement, they met at the Grand Pacific. The State of Wisconsin was represented by Governor William E. Smith, Hans B. Warner, secretary of State; Richard Guenther, treasurer of State; Senators E. B. Simpson, D. M. Kelly, George B. Burrows, and Joseph Rankin, and Representatives W. S. Stanley, Norton J. Field, E. C. McFetridge, John D. Bullock, and Edward Keogh.

Hon. E. W. Keyes, of Madison, Senator Van Schuck and others were also among the arrivals. The several delegations came to Chicago for the purpose of meeting the senatorial party who had charge of the remains, and on last evening they held a meeting at the court house, where they agreed upon a programme. Col. Goodrich was called to the chair, and after a brief reception of the body here, but to meet the committee from Washington and act as an escort from here to Milwaukee. The funeral party will arrive this morning at 9:45 o'clock via the Pittsburg Fort Wayne and Chicago railroad, and remain here until 10 o'clock, when it will depart on the St. Paul road for Milwaukee with the body. On arrival there the Sheridan guards and Light-Horse cavalry will escort the remains to the court house, where they will be in state until Sunday afternoon when the ceremonies incident to the final interment will take place. There will be no exercises of any description here, and the sergeant-at-arms will not be required to surrender the remains until he reaches Milwaukee. The following gentlemen will serve as pall bearers: Governor W. E. Smith, A. R. Butler, W. P. Lynde, John W. Cary, S. S. Mer-Judge C. E. Dyer, Edward Sanderson and C. T. Bradley.

NO SIGNS OF A BREAK.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The Senate was not in session to-day, and the few Senators at the capitol had little to say of the situation except that they saw no signs of a break. The Democrats declared that their side is more firmly united and determined than ever, and the Republicans say there is no change in their plans. If an executive session could be had, wherein the Republicans could control the confimations, and thus dispose of such as they wished, possibly they would consent to one; but this cannot be done. The Democrats are in executive session prevent the carrying out of a programme looking to any certain confimations. There are no signs of a break yet.

THE ANTI-TREAT LAW.

MILWAUKEE, April 8.—The case of Charles B. Harger, the telegraph editor of the Evening Wisconsin, who was arrested under the new anti-treat law, the first test made of the new legal wrinkle,

was called in the municipal court to-day. After hearing counsel for the prosecution and defense the judge took the case under advisement.

THE FASTING WOMAN.

IOWA CITY, April 8.—Hattie Denell, at noon finished the forty-fourth day of her starvation. She sleeps about eight hours each night, and to-day sucked a small quantity of water through a glass tube. This afternoon Dr. F. W. Peck of Davenport, dean of the medical faculty of the State university, was in the city, and requested permission of the Aylsworth family to be admitted to Miss Denell's room in the interest of scientific investigation. The family obtained Miss Denell's consent that a stranger should be admitted.

Dr. Peck says she is very much reduced, though not more than some patients after a high and long fever; that he believes the family are perfectly honest and sincere in the statements they made as to the length of time she has been without food, though, of course, he can not determine whether or not she has absolutely fasted; that she is visibly dying for lack of nourishment, but is not so near death as the family think, and may live for some days yet, unusually disturbed or violently prostrated; that while her present condition is one of monomania there is present more of disposition to insanity than generally supposed; that any attempt to force her to take food against her will would probably make her a raving maniac and induce death.

THE FLOODS.

OMAHA, April 8.—The Missouri river has risen twenty feet above low water mark, and is still rising. It has flooded the Union Pacific shops, and is running through the smelting works and greatly damaging the government riprap. Trains on the St. Paul and Omaha, Kansas City and St. Joe, and Burlington and Missouri river roads are abandoned through floods near the city.

A THRILLING ADVENTURE.

ST. LOUIS, April 8.—A Kansas City special says: About 4 o'clock A. M. yesterday the house standing on the bank of the Missouri river near Parkville, occupied by a woman named Correll and three children, was swept into the stream by the current cutting into the bank. After floating down the river about seven miles the house was discovered by two young hunters named Buoch and Ford, from Kansas City, who put out to it in a skiff and cut a hole in the rock the only part of the building above water, rescued the terrified inmates and took them back to Parkville.

DESTRUCTION OF STOCK.

NEW ORLEANS, April 8.—News from the Attakapas country is of the most startling character. Tens of thousands of cattle are being reported as dying for want of proper nourishment. Jasper Gale, of New Iberia, had alone lost nearly three thousand head. The general destruction of live stock is owing to the prolonged and severe winter, in consequence of which there is no grass upon the prairies, and cattle eating young grass just springing up are purged to such an extent they die by thousands.

BEECHER IN COURT.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Henry Ward Beecher's son William made his maiden speech to-day, as assistant district attorney, in a murder case. His father attended the court to hear his son's effort, and occupied a seat on the bench with Judge Gildersleeve. When Mr. Beecher started to leave the bench, he found he was locked in. A vain effort was made to open the gate which incloses the judge's bench. Mr. Beecher asked Judge Gildersleeve if he should climb over. Meantime three court officers were kicking and tugging at the refractory door. By violence they opened it after some minutes' delay, and Mr. Beecher recovered his liberty.

THE EARTHQUAKES.

LONDON, April 8.—A dispatch from Seio Thursday evening says: "Slight shocks of earthquake continue. Large quantities of blankets, goods and medicines are shipped from Syria by each steamer. Two hundred sappers left Syracuse in a gun-boat to bury the dead. The number of killed is variously estimated from 4,000 to 6,000. The injured are more than twice the number of killed."

CONKLING'S CHOICE.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Senator Conkling is reported as having recently described the situation in the following expressive sentence: "The President has placed me in a situation where I must commit suicide or murder, and I have chosen murder."

A NEW DISEASE.

PLYMOUTH, April 7.—A new disease has broken out among sheep flocks, proving fatal in nearly every attack. Whole flocks are dying. One farmer is reported as keeping two men busy saving their pelts.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—County Court of Rock County.—In the matter of the estate of Chester B. Crosby, deceased. Letters of administration having been issued heretofore to Frederick W. Crosby, and the time for creditors to present their claims for allowance having been limited to the 7th day of October next, notice is hereby given that this Court, at the office of the Judge thereof, in the city of Janesville, in this county, at the next October term, to be held on the 1st Tuesday of October next, from 1:30 o'clock, p. m. to 3 o'clock, p. m., will receive, examine, and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.—Dated April 7th 1881.

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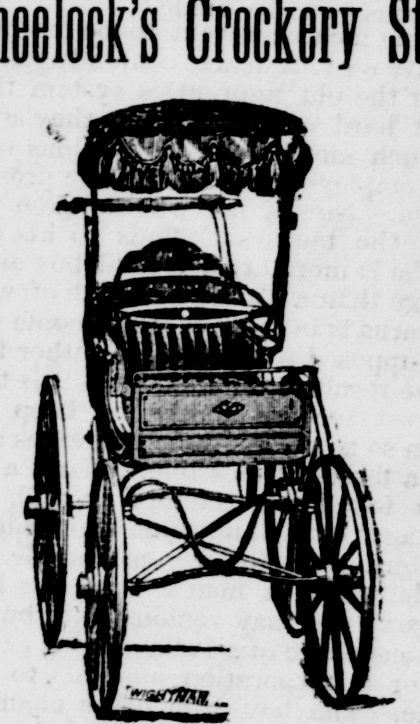
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